

Cracking

Q1. (2018) – 6d (i, iii)

A)

Question Number	Answer	Mark
6(d)(i)	fuel oil	(1) AO 3 2a

B)

Question Number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
6(d)(iii)	C ₆ H ₁₄		(1) AO 2 1

Q2. (2021) – 9b

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
9(b)	C ₂ H ₄	Allow H ₄ C ₂	(1) AO2

Q3. (2023) – 9b

Question number	Answer	Additional guidance	Mark
9(b)	M_r of CH ₂ = 12 + (2 × 1) = 14 (1) $\frac{56}{14} = 4$ (1) formula of Y = 4 × CH ₂ = C ₄ H ₈ (1) formula of X = (C ₆ H ₁₄ + C ₄ H ₈) = C ₁₀ H ₂₂ (1)	allow ecf throughout MP1 must be for CH ₂ allow 14 × 4 = 56 allow Y has 4C and 8H C ₄ H ₈ without working scores MP3 only. C ₄ H ₈ = (4 × 12) + (8 × 1) = 56 scores MP1, 2 and 3 for MP4 must be written as formula C ₁₀ H ₂₂ without working scores MP4 only ecf can be awarded for MP4 as long as working for alkene to be added is seen ignore formula of X = (C ₆ H ₁₄ + CH ₂) = C ₇ H ₁₆	(4) AO3-1